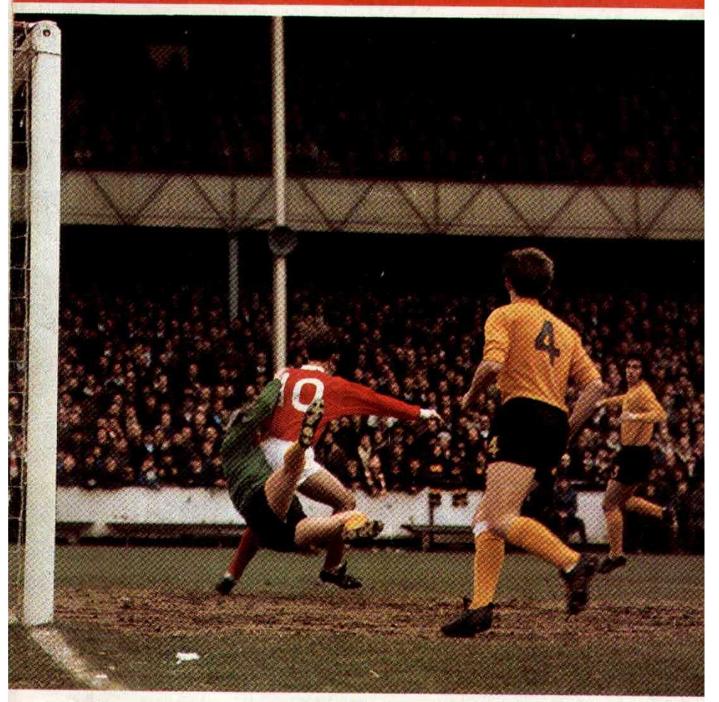
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Saturday, 10th October, 1970 - Division II

# Swindon Town v Q.P.R.

Kick-off 3 p.m.

#### **Swindon Town**

- 1 Jones
- 2 Thomas
- 3 Butler
- 4 Dangerfield
- 5 Burrows
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- 11 Rogers
- 12

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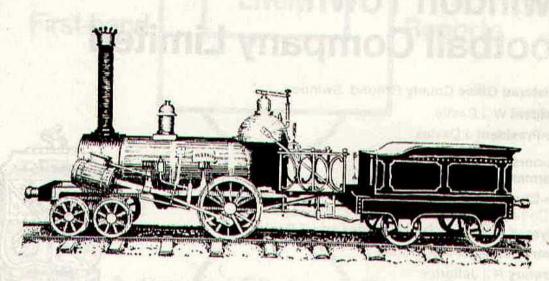
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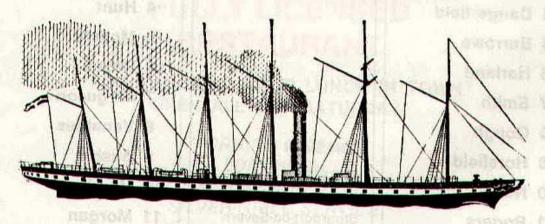
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# news Eviews

For the second week running we play a team which accomplished the great feat of going right through from Division 3 to Division 1 in two seasons. Charlton Athletic did just that in the mid-1930's and Queen's Park Rangers in season 1966/67 gained promotion to Division 2 and the following season, 1967/68, went into Division 1. Unfortunately they remained only one season in that Division but have maintained a good position in Division 2. They did of course, like Swindon, win the League Cup in the same season as they won promotion from Division 3, so we have much in common.

Games between the two clubs are invariably hard fought, and last season was no exception. Early in September 1969 we visited Loftus Road and were defeated 0–2, both goals (one a penalty kick), scored by Clarke. The home match was played on 10th January, 1970, when we began to have visions of promotion to Division 1, thus emulating the great feat of our visitors in 1968. It was a grand, fast, hard fought

game on a muddy pitch, no goals resulted, but spectators really enjoyed the match. Swindon: Downsborough; Thomas, Trollope; Butler, Burrows, Harland; Smith, Smart, Horsfield, Noble, Rogers.

Queen's Park Rangers: Kelly; Clement, Gillard; Sibley, Watson, Hazell; Bridges, Venables, Clarke, Marsh, Ferguson. Sub. Mobley. Attendance: 18,219. Receipts: £3,800 5s 0d.

Referee: Mr. G. W. Hill (voted top referee by the players).

The Reserves returned to winning form last Saturday, defeating a very strong Crystal Palace team (many with Division 1 experience) by two goals to one. It is good to see several of the young players back after injury. Porter and Bailey have been off several weeks, but both brought much life to the team. Porter seems to increase his speed each game he plays, and that left foot shot! The young goalkeeper improves every game. Swindon are fortunate to be able to retain his services.

The injury list is now very short, and it is good news that Smart is back in training and will soon be doing all that running and chasing. It is amazing how attitudes change in football. Two or three years ago, had we drawn to play Liverpool in any competition, we should have had thousands clamouring for tickets - possibly more than we should have had available. At the time of writing - a couple of days before the game - many tickets are still unsold. When the draw was announced, there was a certain demand, and while there will be a good sized crowd, it would appear, it will not be a capacity gate by any means. Such is the result of success. Once having enjoyed excellent seasons supporters want continued victories, etc. It is not just as easy as that. Football form runs in cycles, and human nature being what it is, cannot go on for ever.

We trust that the team came back to its true form, as victory over Liverpool means we go forward in what is now an outstanding competition – the League Cup. Despite competition from European mid-week games, the League Cup is firmly established, almost on a par with the Football Association Challenge Cup.

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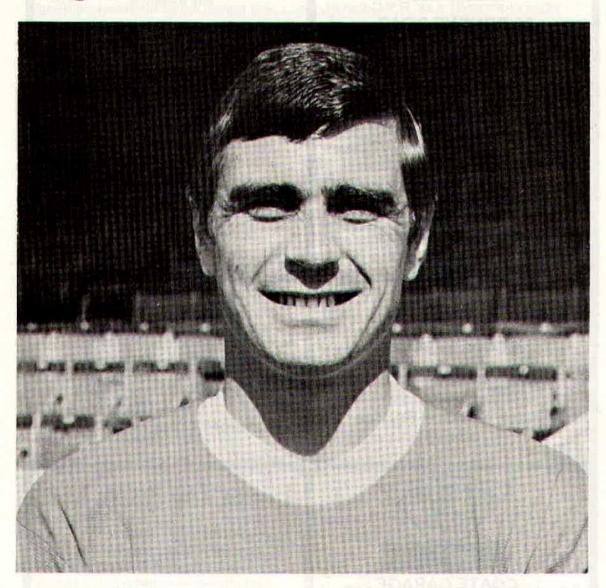
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# **Roger Smart**



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# our visitors

### Queens Park Rangers

Martyn Busby

Signed professional forms during the close season after being an apprentice with Q.P.R. He emerged as a great prospect towards the end of last season, although only 17 years of age possesses tremendous knowledge of the game and is very forceful. Can play either midfield or inside-forward. Made his first team debut away to Leicester in April 1970.

Ian Gillard (Full-back)

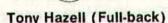
Signed as a schoolboy for Tottenham but was released when he wanted to become a professional. After a trial for Fulham he was invited to train at Q.P.R. and signed professional forms in February 1967. Before joining Tottenham he played with the Pathfinders Boys Club at Slough and played for England against Wales in the Boys Club competition, scoring once in England's 3-2 defeat. He made his first team debut at home to Nottingham Forest in 1968 and has made 21 first team appearances up to the end of the 1969/70 season, scoring one goal.

Ron Hunt (Half-back)

After leaving school he joined West Ham but left after 3 months. After a year at college playing as an amateur for Reading, he joined Q.P.R. and turned professional at the age of 17. He played his first senior game in 1965. Since then has made 175 appearances up to the end of the 1969/70 season. Was a member of the League Cup winning team at Wembley.

Mike Ferguson (Forward)

He joined Accrington Stanley in 1961 and was with them until they dropped out of the League in 1962. He made 49 appearances, scoring 2 goals. Blackburn Rovers signed him and he stayed there 6 seasons, playing 250 League games scoring 32 goals. In the summer of 1968 Aston Villa paid £55,000 for him but he only made 38 League appearances, scoring twice. He joined Q.P.R. in 1969 and so far has made 24 appearances up to the end of the 1969/70 season, scoring once.



Joined Q.P.R. as a 15-year-old eight seasons ago from High Wycombe. When he was 17 he played for the England Youth against Spain and played for England in the Junior World Cup in Yugoslavia. He made his debut in the first team in 1964. He has played in more games than anyone else in the Club, at the end of the 1969/70 season he had made 231 appearances – scoring 5 times and had played in 66 consecutive matches.

David Clement (Full-back)

Born Battersea. As a schoolboy he played inside-forward for London Schoolboys and then signed apprentice forms for Q.P.R. four seasons ago as a centre-half. In this position he represented England Youth XI in the Junior World Cup in 1966. He played in his first senior game in 1967 at home to Scunthorpe. Up to the end of 1969/70 season he had played 97 games and scored 7 goals – 6 of them last season.

Ian Evans (Half-back)

Born Egham. 18 years of age. 6ft 1in. Signed professional forms in the close season after being an apprentice professional with Q.P.R. Made 24 appearances last season scoring 2 goals.

Mick Leach (Forward)

Born London. 6ft. Played for Walthamstow schoolboys before starting training with West Ham. Joined Q.P.R. at the age of 16 and played for England Youth team. He played his first senior game for Q.P.R. against Colchester in 1965 and scored on his debut. Up to the end of 1969/70 season he had made 113 appearances and scored 26 goals.

Mick McGovern (Half-back)

Age 19. Made his first team debut away to Plymouth at Christmas 1967. Has played a handful of games in the first team whilst at Q.P.R. Still developing, could be a regular of the future.

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Vic Mobley (Half-back)

Played as an amateur for Oxford City before moving to Sheffield Wednesday in 1961 at the age of 17. He won 13 Under 23 Caps and was selected for the full England team in 1964 but had to drop out because of injury. After playing 187 League games for Sheffield Wednesday, scoring 7 goals, he signed for Q.P.R. in 1969 for £55,000. In his first season he made 27 appearances.

Alan Wilks (Forward)

Joined Q.P.R. from Chelsea. Scored on his debut against Brighton in 1965 and also holds the Club's goal scoring record with 5 goals in a match against Oxford City in the League Cup in 1967. So far he has made 52 appearances scoring 19 goals.

lan Morgan (Forward)

The twin brother of Roger Morgan who was transferred to Tottenham. Ian Morgan is 24 and joined Q.P.R. as a junior 8 seasons ago. Up to the end of last season had played 153 games for Q.P.R. and scored 22 goals.

Phil Parkes (Goalkeeper)

One of the Club's close season signings from Walsall. He was highly regarded by many Division 1 clubs and is well in the running for an Under 23 International Cap. 6ft 3in. 14½st. Aged 20.

Rodney Marsh (Forward)

Born London. 6ft. Made his debut for Fulham in 1963 against Aston Villa and made 63 appearances for them scoring 22 goals. Q.P.R. signed him in March 1966 for a fee of £15,000. In 1966/67 he was the highest goalscorer in the country and set up the Q.P.R. goalscoring record of 44 in a season. He has made two appearances for the England Under 23 XI, played 164 games for the Club up to the end of last season and is the third highest scorer in the history of Q.P.R. with 91 goals.

Steve Tom (Defender)

Age 19. Signed full professional forms last season after being an apprentice with the Club. Played 32 games in the Reserve side last season.

Frank Sibley (Half-back)

Joined Q.P.R. at the age of 15 after playing for Middlesex Youth side. He made his debut for the first team at the age of 15 in a League Cup game in 1963. In spite of a series of injuries he had played 145 times for Q.P.R.'s first team by the end of last season, scoring 5 goals.

Alan Spratley (Goalkeeper)

Came to Q.P.R. from the Pathfinders Boys Club at Slough. At the age of 18 he became too old for the youth side so was loaned to Guildford City whilst still training with Q.P.R. After one season with Guildford he became the regular Q.P.R. reserve goalkeeper. Made his debut for the senior side against Aston Villa in the Cup in 1969. So far he has made 29 appearances for the first team.

Terry Venables (Captain)

Joined Chelsea's ground staff at the age of 15. Represented England at Schoolboy, Youth, Amateur, Under 23 and full international levels, the only player ever to do so. In 1966 he went to Tottenham having played 202 League games and scoring 26 goals for Chelsea. With Tottenham he won an F.A. Cup Medal and was with them for three seasons, playing 114 League games and scoring 5 goals. Joined Q.P.R. in the summer of 1969/70, he had played 42 games for Q.P.R. and scored 7 goals.

Ian Watson (Full-back)

Started his professional career with Chelsea but most of his time was spent in the Reserves, he was kept out by Ken Shellito. He played 5 times for Chelsea scoring 1 goal before being transferred to Q.P.R. in 1965. At the end of the 1969/70 season he had played 167 games for Q.P.R. scoring 2 goals, his first one after 130 games for the Club.

Gerry Francis (Forward)

The son of former Brentford player Roy Francis. He is 18 years of age but has made 12 first team appearances for Q.P.R. scoring twice. He had his first appearance for Q.P.R. in 1969 as substitute against Liverpool and scored in his first full game away at Portsmouth.

# Fixture list 1970 71

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# League table division 2

# Football Combination

(up to and including Wednesday, 7th October)

(up to and including Tuesday, 6th October)

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Leicester City	10	6	2	2	18	9	14	Tottenham Hotspur	11	7	2	2	23	4	16
Hull City	10	6	2	2	13	8	14	Southampton	12	7	2	3	13	8	16
Oxford United	10	5	4	1	12	9	14	West Ham United	11	7	1	3	23	7	15
Luton Town	10	5	3	2	16	6	13	Swansea City	10	5	5	0	19	6	15
Cardiff City	10	4	4	2	14	10	12	Bristol City	10	5	5	0	19	11	15
Sheffield United	10	4	4	2	18	14	12	Birmingham City	10	5	4	1	16	10	14
Portsmouth	10	4	3	3	16	11	11	Queen's Park R.	11	6	2	3	19	14	14
Carlisle United	10	4	3	3	13	12	11	Cardiff City	12	4	4	4	14	8	12
Sunderland	10	4	2	4	18	14	10	Norwich City	10	5	2	3	12	8	12
Middlesbrough	10	4	2	4	17	15	10	Ipswich Town	10	4	4	2	13	12	12
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Orient	10	3	4	3	7	13	10	Leicester City	11	4	2	5		11	10
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Birmingham City	10	3	3	4	10	10	9	Arsenal	9	3	3	3	12	13	10
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#### **First Section**

A-Burnley v Coventry City

B-Chelsea v Manchester City

C-Everton v Derby County

D-Huddersfield Town v Ipswich Town

E-Manchester United v Crystal Palace

F-Newcastle United v Arsenal

G-Nottingham Forest v Blackpool

H-Southampton v Wolverhampton

I-Tottenham Hotspur v Liverpool

J-West Bromwich Albion v Leeds United

K-Birmingham City v Sheffield United

L-Bolton Wanderers v Charlton Athletic

M-Bristol City v Oxford United

N-Leicester City v Sunderland

O-Middlesbrough v Portsmouth

P-Millwall v Blackburn Rovers

Q-Norwich City v Carlisle United

R-Orient v Hull City

S-Sheffield Wednesday v Luton Town T-Watford v Cardiff City

### Second Section

A-Brighton & Hove A. v Port Vale

B-Doncaster Rovers v Reading

C-Gillingham v Bristol Rovers

D-Plymouth Argyle v Bury

E-Preston North End v Mansfield Town

F-Rochdale v Aston Villa

G-Shrewsbury Town v Fulham

H-Swansea City v Bradford City

I-Walsall v Torquay United

J-Aldershot v Darlington

K-Cambridge United v Peterborough

L-Exeter City v Hartlepool

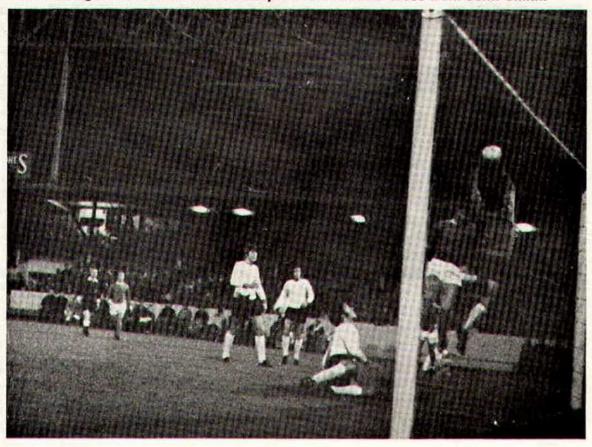
M-Grimsby Town v Notts County

N-Workington v Northampton Town



Liverpool 'keeper Clements easily commands this situation despite the attentions of Swindon's Horsfield.

Clements again foils Horsfield's attempt to convert this cross from John Smith.





### **David Laing**

Started refereeing in 1954 with the Preston & District Leagues, progressing with the Lancashire League and the Central League to the Football League Line in 1960. He became a Football League referee in 1965. Mr. Laing, a senior estates assistant, is married with twin daughters. He played football as an amateur with Charlton

Athletic, as a professional with Preston North End and as a part-time professional with Wigan Athletic and Chorley. He is Treasurer of the Preston & District Amateur Football League and Chairman of the Works Sports & Social Club. He is also interested in crown green bowling.

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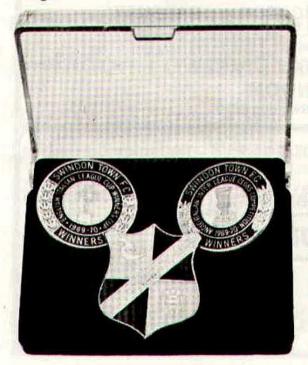


# Supporters club notes

In our Notes today are photographed reproductions of the two new Supporters' Club badges, specially designed to commemorate the winning of the two Italian Cups last season. As Swindon Town was the very first team to win these new Competitions – and could very well be the last to win both in one season, as this is no mean feat even for a Division 1 club – these two badges should be in every keen supporter's collection.

The chrome badge reproduces the silver Cup awarded when the English/Italian League Cup Winners Cup was won by beating A.S. Roma 5–2 on aggregate. The gold plated badge gives an excellent reproduction of the £2,000 gold Cup won in the English and Italian Inter League Clubs Competition, when Napoli was beaten in the Final, on their home ground in Naples, by 3–0. Also shown is the new Supporters' Club badge, which is appreciably larger than the previous Club

badge.



A new Club tie, in terylene, is now in stock. This has an enlarged Club badge featured on a wine background and is proving a very popular item. All the above, with the new Handbook are only available through the Supporters' Club souvenir kiosk which is located at the Social Club in the car park, together with many other collectors' items - old programmes from many Divisions, rosettes, shoulder bags, scarves, car badges and so forth. Prices, as you will see below, are most reasonable: English/Italian commemorative

English/Italian commemorative badges 5/- each; Supporters' Club badge 3/6 each (special tax free price to Club members, on production of membership card 3/each).

The following item makes an ideal

Xmas or anniversary present: All the three above, mounted on black velvet in a clear presentation case, inclusive 16/- the set (or by post, packing and postage inclusive 17/6 the set). Club terylene tie 15/- (postal orders 1/- extra). Handbooks (100 pages of articles, facts and photos) 3/- each. Handbooks from the 1969/70 season are also available. (The two books together include a list of all leading Swindon Town players from 1907 to 1970, which I have yet to find in any other Club Handbook). Social Club members should note the following entertainment: Special night, Thursday, 15th October at 8 p.m. BINGO (3 games) and the new SWINDON REVIEW ORCHESTRA, under the direction of PETE LOW, with a short cabaret.

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# Forthcoming matches

SATURDAY, 17th OCTOBER, 1970

Football Combination - Kick-off 3 p.m.

# Swindon Town v Queens Park Rangers

TUESDAY, 20th OCTOBER, 1970

Football Combination - Kick-off 7.30 p.m.

# Swindon Town v Swansea City

SATURDAY, 24th OCTOBER, 1970

Division II - Kick-off 3 p.m.

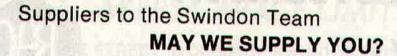
# Swindon Town v Middlesbrough



Noble and Burrows in a tussle with Clements for a high cross from Don Rogers watched by Tommy Smith (4) and Lawler.

Tommy Smith (4) and Hughes (6) provide cover for Liverpool as Frank Burrows and Arthur Horsfield look on.









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### Flashback 1953-54 Flashback 1964-65

Saturday, 10th October, 1953

Swindon Town 2, Leyton Orient 1
(half-time 0-0)

(half-time 0-0).

Scorers – Swindon: Bull, Lambert. Leyton Orient: Johnston (own

goal).

Swindon Town: Burton; Hunt, Hilton; Cross, Hudson, Johnston; Lunn, Betteridge, Owen, Lambert,

Bull.

Leyton Orient: Welton; Evans, Charlton; Blizzard, Aldous, McMahon; White, Facey, Pacey, Morgan, Poulton.

Referee Mr. W. Clements

(Staffordshire). Attendance: 12,617. Receipts: £1,252 13s 9d. Saturday, 12th October, 1964
Preston 1, Swindon Town 0
Scorer: Holden.
Preston: Kelly; Ross, Smith;
Lawton, Singleton, Davidson;
Wilson, Ashworth, Dawson, Spavin,

Swindon Town: Turner; Dawson, Trollope; Morgan, McPherson, Woodruff; Summerbee, Hunt, Smith, Smart, Rogers.

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